

NEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs. A meeting was held last evening in the Hall of the German Society, No. 24 South Seventh street, to consider the case of Dr. Paul Schoppa, who under sentence of death, having been convicted of murdering Miss Stenbecke, William J. Horstmann was called to the prolix, and he stated that the object of the meeting was to devise and adopt such measures as may induce Governor Geary to exercise his executive clemency in favor of Dr. Schoppa.

Marine Telegraph. For additional Marine News see First Page. ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA—THIS DAY SUN RISES... PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE. JAMES DOUGHERTY, RAULPH L. STOKES, JOSEPH C. GRUBB, COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH.

DRY GOODS. GREAT CRASH IN DRY GOODS. EVERYTHING DOWN—HIGH PRICES OVER FOR THE SEASON. GRAND CLOSING SALE OF RICKEY, SHARP & CO.'S IMMENSE STOCK OF DRY GOODS At Retail. Unprecedented Bargains IN SILKS, VELVETS, DRESS GOODS, and MISCELLANEOUS DRY GOODS.

DRY GOODS. SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT. Sheppard, Van Harlingen & Arrión, No. 1008 CHESTNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA. Respectfully announce to their friends and the public generally, that for THIRTY DAYS they will offer their ENTIRE STOCK OF CHOICE AND FINE GOODS at such a reduction as will insure a QUICK SALE.

AMUSEMENTS. ACADEMY OF MUSIC. THE GRAND TESTIMONIAL TO RUFUS ADAMS, 12 O'CLOCK MONDAY, DECEMBER 13. CARL SEXTZ'S PAVLOV ORCHESTRA will open the entertainment by performing La Gitana, Serenade, Solo, &c. with Walcott's Orchestra.

THE OVERLAND ROUTE. MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS, Tom Taylor's Great Scenic Comedy, with every scene new. Mrs. JOHN DREW'S ARCH STREET THEATRE. Begins 7 1/2 to 8.

These bodies held their regular stated meeting yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Francis, chairman of the Committee on Railroads, reported to the Board of Public Works yesterday afternoon.

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